

State of Louisiana



M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr.
Governor

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the recurring drought and high incidence of forest and woodland fires has placed our state in a precarious situation; and

WHEREAS, potentially, we could see catastrophic losses to property and lives of the citizens of Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, the state of Louisiana recognizes that the required resources to mitigate this potential situation could exceed local governments capabilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, M.J. "Mike" Foster, Jr., Governor of the state of Louisiana, under the authority of the Louisiana Assistance and Disaster Act of 1993 (as amended), do hereby proclaim that a State of Emergency exists within the boundaries of the

STATE OF LOUISIANA



Attest By
The Governor

Joseph S. Keithen
Secretary of State

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand officially and caused to be affixed the
Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the
Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this
the 1st day of March
A.D. 2000.

M. J. Foster
Governor of Louisiana